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TO.

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FROM:

Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.

Director and Health Officer

SUBJECT:

NOTIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S USE OF

DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT NOTICE OF GRANT AWARD

NUMBER 5U1PS000054-04 FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL

AND PREVENTION FOR THE HIV EPIDEMIOLOGY PROGRAM

This is to advise you that the Department of Public Health (DPH) will exercise its delegated authority as approved by the Board on March 15, 2005, authorizing the Director of Health Services, or his designee, (now the Director of DPH, or his designee) to accept subsequent annual funding awards, substantially similar to NGA Number 5UA1PS000054-01 for the remaining budget year periods from September 30, 2005 through September 29, 2009, subject for review and approval by County Counsel and the Chief Executive Office and notification of the Board offices. The NGA will provide the DPH's HIV Epidemiology Program continued funding in support of the Atypical HIV Strains (AHS) project for the period of September 30, 2007 through September 29, 2008 in the amount of \$64,187. There is no net County cost.

County Counsel and the Chief Executive Office have reviewed and approved the NGA as to form.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors